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Dear Joshua:

I am afraid that there are no longer any reprints available of the 1944 paper on transformation. It has been some time since we scraped the bottom of the barrel on this reprint.

On referring again to your original letter, I see that I did jump to an unwarranted conclusion in assuming that you were considering the inclusion of the Mellon paper in your volume. I am sorry that I discussed the paper under this misapprehension, but the statements that I made would stand in any case.

Sincerely yours,

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